

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Curtis DOBSON  
Application No. : 10/580,761  
Filed : May 25, 2006  
For : TREATMENT OF VIRAL INFECTIONS

Examiner : Jeffrey S. Parkin  
Art Unit : 1648  
Docket No. : 81599-3  
Date : April 9, 2008

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**ELECTION AND AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 9, 2008, this response to which is being filed along with a petition for a two-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and the requisite fee, please consider the following Election, Amendment and Remarks. Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Applicant's Remarks and Election begin on page 5 of this paper.